## **Proposition 84 Statewide Park Program – Round One**



Los Angeles, Comm. Redevelopment Agency Nevin Avenue Elementary School Park \$2,898,340

This project will create the new Nevin Avenue Elementary School Park in the City of Los Angeles through acquisition and development of .26 acres, and construction of a new entry plaza and picnic area, children's playground, fitness zone, interactive plant and water demonstration and botanical learning gardens, walking trails, "rolling" hill, and an indoor/outdoor learning/community building.

Through community based planning meetings, youth, seniors, and families selected these features. Additional design ideas from residents to be included in the project are:

- Artistic entry plaza and paving designed by 500 children through a contest.
  Install art tile mosaic.
- Children's playground to include climbing wall, spinning wheels, slide, swings, rope ladders and green rolling hill. Add pergolas at both playground gateways.
- Botanical garden to include three unique habitat zones (riparian woodland, evergreen woodland, and desert woodland zone with artistically designed plant identification signs) space for reading, studying, and picnics.
- Indoor/outdoor learning/community building designed for aerobics, yoga, dance, arts and crafts, and language classes.
- Fitness zone circuit of outdoor equipment, perimeter jogging and tricycle trail.
- Place a grand gateway on 32nd street, place perimeter landscaping as a buffer, place multipurpose room near entrance to park, place picnic/ study area within a garden setting, place fitness zone near schoolyard gateway, place social area near entrance. Install perimeter fencing, pedestrian lighting, and security cameras.

The project will include these sustainable techniques:

- Water efficient irrigation system with rain sensor, soil moisture meter, and/or a smart controller.
- Permeable surfaces for infiltration.
- 10% recycled materials will be used to construct the park.
- Landscape with non-invasive, drought tolerant plants.
- Energy efficient LED outdoor lights, light colored pavers, locally sourced materials, install solar panels, perimeter bioswale, and native vegetation.

The park will be open daily from 7 AM to 7 PM except during school hours. No entrance or membership fees will be charged.









